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Petersbourg, July 9.

THE following Advices lately received from Persia, confirm the former Accounts of the Designs and Measures of the Sophi, viz. That he continued fixed in his Resolution of declaring War against the Turks; had already brought to the City of Amadan his heavy Artillery and other warlike Stores provided for that Purpose; had ordered large Magazines to be erected with all possible Expedition in that City and in Kirmansha, and had sent the strictest Commands throughout all Persia to raise a numerous Army, which should march directly to Amadan as the Place of general Rendezvous. When the Sophi was got through the Defart of Mungali, he marched with his Army towards the Turkish Frontiers: In the Beginning of May he was arrived at the City Agara, three Days Journey from Tewris, where he reviewed his Troops, and was disposed to put them in a better Condition, as they were very weak and faint with great Fatigues and long Marches. Nevertheless he sent a Detachment of his Army before to Kirmansha, to wait there for him, intending himself to pass by Tewris and proceed directly to Maraga; and in all Probability he would be upon the Frontiers of Turkey by Midsummer, or the Month of August at latest. As the Sophi is preparing with so much Zeal and Expedition for an offensive War, so on the Turkish Side, they began to make the necessary Dispositions upon the Frontiers as soon as they were informed of his Intentions. The Seraskier of Babylon has put every Thing in Order fit for a Defence, and to strengthen the Fortifications of that City, has filled the Trenches with Water. Not only the Babylonish Side, but Kars and Erserum are now also in a good State of Defence, and well provided with Men and Artillery. The Day before Yesterday the Empress, accompanied by his Imperial Highness the Great Duke, went from the Summer Palace in this City to Sarskrimuse, a Palace about 30 Werst off, where her Imperial Majesty proposed to stay a few Days, and from thence to go to reside at Peterhoff during the rest of the fine Season.

Petersbourg, July 12. The Czarina is returned with the whole Court to Peterhoff, where her Majesty intends to reside till the 26th Instant, and then to return to Town, to celebrate the Festival of the Peace, for which great Preparations are making.

Stockholm, July 19, O. S. On Saturday Morning last Lieutenant-General Bodenbroke was conveyed, under a strong Guard, from his Prison to the Northern Gate, where, pursuant to his Sentence, he was beheaded on a Scaffold erected for that Purpose: His Behaviour was very decent, and in all his Actions he shewed a great Calmness of Mind. Next Saturday remains fixed for General Count Lewenhaupt's Execution, though he has desired a Reprieve for fourteen Days. The Senators Lowen and Eric Wrangel are named by the King and Senate to go and notify in Form to the Bishop of Lubeck, his being elected by the four Orders of the States, Successor to this Crown, and also to conduct his Royal Highness hither.

Florence, July 23. This Government, on Notice that the Sickness at Messina was extended into Calabria, on the 12th Instant prohibited all free Commerce with the Kingdom of Naples, and ordered Fifteen Days Quarantine for the Persons, and Twenty-one for the Goods. On the 20th, the like Prohibition of free Commerce and Terms of Quarantine with the whole Ecclesiastical State was published; in consequence of which, Detachments of Soldiers have been sent to draw a Line and barricade the Passages on the Borders of Tuscany with that State, so as to hinder the Entry of any Passengers and Goods. Three Gates out of the Nine of this City, are to be shut up, and a Nobleman to attend at each of the other Gates with the Health Officers, to examine all the Persons that arrive. All Letters from thence, as well as those from the Kingdom of Naples, are opened and perfumed at the Lazaretto, and all Couriers and Mails relieved on the Confines by others from hence. Many Deserters from the Spanish Army in the Romagna daily arrive here. From Lombardy and Romagna we have nothing new, except that most of the Sardinian Horse is repaired to Piedmont, for which Place they

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they have removed from Modena, Parma, and Piacenza, their Artillery, Ammunition, and Military Stores. The Auſtrian and Spaniſh Armies continue in their uſual Situations.

Bern, July 31. Laſt Week M. Courteille, the French King's Ambaſſador at Soleure, received Orders to repair forthwith to Verſailles, and he ſet out for his Court accordingly on Sunday Morning early. The Ambaſſador, before his Departure, wrote circular Letters to each Canton, acquainting them, that it was apprehended the Auſtrians deſigned to paſs the Rhine, and deſiring them to defend their Paſſes, and maintain the Immunity of the Swiſs Territory. The Canton of Baſil has wrote hither and to Zurich for the ſame Purpoſe, deſiring Aſſiſtance to oppoſe Force by Force in Caſe of Neceſſity. The Anſwer this Canton return'd was, in Effect, that Bern would always be ready to fulfil its Engagements toward Zurich for the aſſembling of a general Diet, therein to deliberate what Meaſures would be expedient in this Conjuncture.

Hanau, Auguſt 5, *N. S.* Prince Charles of Lorrain, accompanied by Marſhal Khevenhuller, left this Place on the 29th paſt, and arrived at the Army, under his Command, the next Evening: His Highneſs gave immediate Orders that the Forces ſhould hold themſelves in Readineſs to march upon the firſt Notice, and on Friday laſt, the 2d Inſtant, the whole Army marched in three Columns, each conſiſting of 20,000 Men, for the Rhine, and will be on the Banks of that River about the 12th Inſtant, N. S. His Highneſs had received an Account that 1500 Huſſars, Croats and Pandours had actually croſſed that River, and made themſelves Maſters of a Magazine near Oppenheim, belonging to Marſhal Noailles's Army, carried off 300 Sacks of Meal, and deſtroyed the reſt. This Morning the Auſtrian Troops under the Command of Duke d'Aremberg and Marſhal Niepperg began their March from this Camp, in order to paſs the Rhine near Mayence, their Artillery, Pontons and Baggage having taken the Lead Yeſterday Evening. The Britiſh, Hanoverian and Heſſian Troops will follow in a few Days. His Royal Highneſs the Duke of Cumberland is ſo well recovered of his Wound, that he will be able to accompany his Majeſty in this March.

Hanau, Auguſt 7, *N. S.* We have Advice that Marſhal Noailles has detach'd Count Saxe into Alſatia with 51 Battalions and 84 Squadrons; and we likewiſe hear that the Marſhal himſelf is return'd with the reſt of his Army to Spire. The Britiſh, Hanoverian, and Heſſian Troops will begin their March from hence on Saturday next, with an Intention to paſs the Rhine. Marſhal Neipperg, with the Auſtrian Forces, march'd downwards on Monday laſt for the ſame Purpoſe.

Francfort, Auguſt 5, *N. S.* We have this Day received an Account, that a Detachment of 8000 Men of the Army commanded by Prince Charles of Lorrain, paſſed the Rhine Yeſterday a few Leagues above Philipsbourg.

Admiralty Office, Auguſt 4, 1743.

On the 19th of June, his Majeſty's Ship the Haſtings, commanded by Lord Banff, arrived at Virginia, in Company of a Ship from La Vera Cruz, which he met with, and ſeized, in his Paſſage, off the Weſtern Iſlands. She is reckoned to be a rich Prize.

War Office, July 29, 1743.

Whereas it hath been repreſented to their Excellencies the Lords Juſtices, that ſeveral private Men, belonging to his Majeſty's Regiment of Foot under the Command of Hugh Lord Sempill, had concealed themſelves in the Highlands, when the Regiment was ordered to march for South Britain, or had deſerted before the Arrival of the Regiment in Nottinghamſhire; and that ſuch Deſerters had expreſſed their Concern for deſerting his Majeſty's Service, and moſt humbly prayed they might be pardoned upon their Return to their Duty with the Regiment; Their Excellencies are therefore pleaſed to promiſe his Majeſty's moſt gracious Pardon to all ſuch Deſerters as aforeſaid, who ſhall return to their Duty and ſurrender themſelves to Lieutenants John Mackenzie, Alexander Macdonald, George Ramſey, or either of them, now employed on the Recruiting Service for the ſaid Regiment, on or before the 10th Day of September next.

By Command of their Excellencies,
Will. Yonge.

General Poſt Office, London, March 10, 1742.

Whereas notwithſtanding the publick Notice, that has been ſo repeatedly given by this Office, as well in the Gazette as in other News Papers, concerning the Foreign Poſtage which is to be paid here for all Letters that are to go to Germany, Italy, *or any other Country beyond* Holland, France, *or* Flanders, *Miſtakes have ſometimes been made, and Letters have been delivered at this Office, directed to thoſe Countries without paying the Foreign Poſtage, as required by Act of Parliament: The Poſtmaſter General has thought fit to advertiſe, That the Poſtage to be paid here at this Office, or at the reſpective Receiving Houſes or Offices, appointed and authorized for the taking in of Letters in Town or Country, by all Perſons correſponding with* Germany, Italy, *or any Foreign Parts in the North or the South, by the Way of* Holland, France, *or* Flanders, *is after the following Rates, viz.*

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Between London *and any Part of* Germany, Italy, Sicily, Switzerland, Denmark, or Sweden, *and all Parts of the* North (*through* Holland.)	*Single*	1	0
	Double	2	0
	Treble	3	0
	Ounce	4	0
Between London *and any Part of* Spain *or* Portugal *through* France, *or by Packet Boats directly.*	*Single*	1	6
	Double	3	0
	Treble	4	6
	Ounce	6	0
Between London *and any Part of* Italy *or* Sicily, *through* France, *by Way of* Lyons, *or any Part of* Turkey, *by Way of* Marſeilles.	*Single*	1	3
	Double	2	6
	Treble	3	9
	Ounce	5	0

And it is to be obſerved, that on Failure of ſuch Payment of the above Rates, no Letters to ſuch Foreign Parts can be forwarded from this Office, and that for all Letters directed to Foreign Countries, by the Way of Holland, France, *and* Flanders, *as above, ſent to this Office to be forwarded from any Parts of the Kingdom of* Great Britain, *diſtant from* London, *or from any Parts of* Ireland, *the uſual Inland Poſtage to* London, *is alſo to be paid over and above the Foreign Poſtage.*

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N. B. By a Cover of ſeparate Paper to a Letter of a ſingle Sheet, it becomes a double Letter, and if ſuch Cover be to a double Letter, it becomes treble, and is to be paid for accordingly.

By Command of the Poſtmaſter General,
Geo. Shelvocke, *Secretary.*

POST-CHAISES between London and York, and London and Northampton

This is to acquaint the Publick, that the ſeveral Poſt maſters on the Road between London and York, and London and Northampton, are ready to furniſh Gentlemen, or others, with Poſt-Chaiſes, ſafe, eaſy, and well ſecured from the Weather, upon as ſhort Warning as for Poſt-Horſes, at any Hour, either of the Day or Night. Gentlemen who have Occaſion to go Poſt on the above Roads, are deſired to apply to Mr. Joſeph Plaiſto, at the Saracen's Head on Snow-Hill.

A Poſt-Chaiſe may be had at any of the Stages on the York and Northampton Roads, to go Part, or all the Way, for one or more Stages, for thoſe who do not chuſe to travel in the Night.

N. B. All Gentlemen that travel in Poſt Chaiſes of their own upon the Roads where Poſt Chaiſes are already ſet up, by the Authority of this Office, may be ſupplied with Horſes, at the ſeveral Stages on thoſe Roads, at the Rate of Nine Pence per Mile.

By Command of the Poſtmaſter General.
Geo. Shelvocke, *Secr.*

General Poſt-Office,
July 23, 1743.

Advertiſements.

Dr. *ANDERSON*'s, or, The Famous *SCOTS* PILLS;

ARE faithfully prepared only by D. INGLISH, at the Unicorn, over-againſt the New Church in the Strand, London; and to prevent Counterfeits from Scotland, as well as in and about London, you are deſired to take Notice, That the true Pills have their Boxes ſealed on the Top (in black Wax) with a Lyon Rampant, and Three Mullets Argent, Dr. Anderſon's Head betwixt I. I. with his Name round it, and Iſabella Engliſh underneath the Shield in a Scroll. They are of excellent Uſe in all Caſes where Purging is neceſſary, and may be taken with Epſom, Tunbridge, or other Medicinal Waters.

Auguſt 5, 1743.

WHereas Hamilton Peters, one of the Collectors of the Land Tax of the Second Diviſion of the Pariſh of St. Olave in the Borough of Southwark, in the County of Surry, hath received a conſiderable Sum of Money by virtue of an Aſſeſſment on the ſaid Diviſion for the Service of the Year 1742, and not paid the ſame to the Receiver General of the ſaid County, according to the Order of the Commiſſioners acting for the ſaid Borough, but detains the ſame in his Hands: And whereas the ſaid Commiſſioners have cauſed ſome Houſhold Goods and Things of the ſaid Hamilton Peters to be ſeized, the ſaid Commiſſioners do hereby give Notice, that a General Meeting of the Commiſſioners of the Land Tax acting for the ſaid Borough, will be on Saturday the 13th Inſtant, at Eleven of the Clock in the Forenoon, at the late Dwelling Houſe of the ſaid Hamilton Peters, in the Maize in the Pariſh of St. Olave in Southwark, in the County of Surry, in order to ſell the ſaid Goods and Things, and the reſt of the Eſtate of the ſaid Hamilton Peters, which is, or ſhall be ſeized and ſecured for raiſing and paying the ſaid Money ſo detained in the Hands of the ſaid Hamilton Peters.

By Order of the Commiſſioners,
SAM. CALVERLEY, Clerk
to the Commiſſioners.

TO be ſold, purſuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, before Robert Holford, Eſq; one of the Maſters of the ſaid Court, at his Chambers in Symond's Inn in Chancery-lane, on the 20th Day of October next, between the Hours of Ten and Twelve in the Forenoon, The Freehold and Leaſehold Eſtates late of George Hitchcock and John Hitchcock, deceaſed, ſituate at Manton, in the Pariſh of Preſhute near Marlborough, in the County of Wilts; Lett together, and in the Occupation of Nathaniel and Margaret Mortimer, at the yearly Rent of 120 l. of which more particular Information may be had at the ſaid Maſter's Chambers.

July 30, 1743.

NOtice is hereby given, That the Juſtices of the Peace for the County of Devon, have adjourned their General Quarter Seſſions to Monday the 29th Day of Auguſt next, by Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon, at the Caſtle of Exon, in order to diſcharge all ſuch Priſoners in the Sheriff's Ward or Priſon for the ſaid County, as ſhall be qualified to receive the Benefit of an Act made in the Sixteenth Year of his preſent Majeſty's Reign, intituled, An Act for the Relief of Inſolvent Debtors.

ALL Perſons who have any Claims or Demands on the Real or Perſonal Eſtates of John Littell, (late of Parlabens, in the Pariſh of Halſted in the County of Eſſex, Gentleman, deceaſed) or Suſanna Littell, deceaſed, late the Widow of the ſaid John Littell, are deſired to give an Account of the ſame to Mr. Jerningham Cheveley, at his Chambers N° I. in Lincoln's Inn Squate, London, on or before the 25th Day of September next, to the End the ſame may be adjuſted.

ALL Perſons having any Claims or Demands upon the Eſtate of her Grace the late Dutcheſs of Kendall, are hereby required to bring an Account thereof to Mr. Solomon Penny, at his Houſe in New Broad-ſtreet, near Biſhopſgate, London, on or before the 29th of September next, in order to their receiving Satisfaction for the ſame.

TO be Sold peremptorily, purſuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, before Richard Edwards, Eſq; one of the Maſters of the ſaid Court, at his Chambers in Chancery-lane, on Wedneſday the 26th Day of October next, between the Hours of Four and Five of the Clock in the Afternoon, A Cloſe of Paſture Ground called Horſe Croſt, the Woods called Longridge and Sally Wood, in the Pariſh of Horſeley; A Meſſuage or Tenement at Weſt-End, and a Wood and Woodland Ground called Shetwood, in the Pariſh of Eaſtington, all in the County of Glouceſter, late the Eſtate of Nathaniel Stephens, Eſq; deceaſed. Particulars to be had at the ſaid Maſter's Chambers.

THere will be peremptorily Sold, together or in Parcels, purſuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, on Monday the 7th of November next, at Eleven of the Clock in the Forenoon, before Francis Eld, Eſq; one of the Maſters of the ſaid Court, at his Chamber in Symond's Inn in Chancery-lane, London, The Eſtates late of Ralph Thickneſs, Eſq; deceaſed, in Balterley, Betley, and Buddeleigh, in the County of Stafford; and Tattenhall, Burwardsley, and Braxton in the County of Cheſter, being now of the yearly Value of 290 l. and upwards, but when certain Leaſes of Part thereof are expired, will be worth about 400 l. per Annum. Particulars may be had at the ſaid Maſter's aforeſaid Chamber.

THERE is to be ſold, purſuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, before Francis Eld, Eſq; one of the Maſters of the ſaid Court, at his Chamber in Symond's Inn in Chancery Lane, London, The Sole Right and Privilege (granted by Act of Parliament) of Ballaſting and Unballaſting all Ships in the ſeveral Harbours or Waters of Plymouth Sound, Hammouze and Sutton Pool, or in the Road between St. Nicholas Iſland and the main Land, for the Remainder of a Term of 71 Years, commencing from the 25th of March 1710. Particulars may be had at the ſaid Maſter's aforeſaid Chamber.

TO be peremptorily ſold, before Edmund Sawyer, Eſq; one of the Maſters of the High Court of Chancery, purſuant to a Decree of the ſaid Court, at the ſaid Maſter's Chambers in Lincoln's Inn, on Monday the 24th Day of October next, between the Hours of Five and Seven of the Clock in the Afternoon of the ſame Day, A Moiety of two Dwelling Houſes and Lands thereunto belonging, ſituate in Gedney in the County of Lincoln, of the yearly Value of 28 l. or thereabouts, Part of the Eſtate late of Reuben Muſton, of Watton in the County of Norfolk, Gent. deceaſed. Particulars whereof may be had at the ſaid Maſter's Chambers.

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under the Commiſſion awarded againſt Simon Onely, late of Tower Street, London, Merchant and Packer, are deſired to meet the Aſſignees under the ſaid Commiſſion, on Wedneſday next, the 10th Day of Auguſt Inſtant, at Batſon's Coffee Houſe in Cornhill, London, at Eleven of the Clock in the Forenoon, to conſent to the Aſſignees compounding with the Debtors or Accountants to the ſaid Bankrupt, or to leave the Differences and Diſputes with ſuch Perſons to Arbitration, and to commence a Suit or Suits in Equity for Recovery of the Bankrupt's Eſtate and Effects, as the Aſſignees ſhall ſee neceſſary.

Purſuant